REVISION OF SPECIES OF WESTERN PALEARCTIC ICHNEUMONIDAE DESCRIBED BY FRENCH AUTHORS

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Abstract

58 species of Western Palearctic Ichneumonidae described by Brullé, Dufour and Perris, Boyer de Fonscolombe, Lucas, Giraud, Laboulbène, and Sichel are revised, 34 lectotypes are designated, and 25 new synonyms are indicated.

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BRULLÉ

In two publications, A. Brullé (1832, 1846) described 14 new species of Palearctic Ichneumonidae. Brulle described most species from materal of the National Museum of Natural History in Paris, which he rearranged, and which is preserved in the Paris Museum as a separate collection near the name "Brullé Collection". In the meantime, however, this collection was partly rearranged, and partly transferred to the general collection of Ichneumonidae, and partly destroyed. Some of the new species were described from material of the Serville Collection, which was bought by Spinola in 1847, and which is now preserved in the Museum of Systematic Zoology of the University of Turin (Italy), as a part of the Spinola Collection of Hymenoptera (Casolari and Casolari Moreno 1980).

Pimpla longicauda Brulle

Pimpla longicauda Brullé, 1832: 379. Type(s) lost.

Identity: Exeristes roborator (Fabricius, 1793) (Oehlke, 1967: 1).

Cryptus laticinctus Brullé

Cryptus laticinctus Brullé, 1832: 379. Type(s) lost.

Identity: Chaetomastrus laticinctus (Brulle 1832), syn. Hemiteles hirticeps Thomson, 1885, syn. Hemiteles hirtus Brauns, 1888. New synonym.

Lectotype of Hemiteleshirtus Brauns hereby designated: F, "Brauns det.", "2613", "VII. 87 Susten". Museum of Natural History, Bern.

Trachynotus humeralis Brullé

Trachynotus humeralis Brullé, 1832: 381. Type(s) lost.

Identity: Anomalon foliator (Fabricius, 1798). New synonym.

Rhyssa marginalis Brullé

Rhyssa marginalis Brullé, 1846: 79. Type (? holotype): F, "Rhyssa marginalis Br.". Paris Museum, general collection under Rhyssa persuasoria. Origin unknown, but Townes (1961: 174) supposed that the type came from France.

Identity: Rhyssa persuasoria (Linnaeus, 1758) (Townes 1961: 174).

Pimpla bilineata Brullé

Pimpla bilineata Brullé, 1846: 98. Type(s) lost.

Identity: Pimpla spuria Gravenhorst, 1829. New synonym. Interpreted in accordance with Lucas (1849: 323) and Tosquinet (1896: 284), whose material came from the type locality (Algeria) and agrees with Brullé's original description.

Pimpla abdominalis Brullé

Pimpla abdominalis Brullé, 1846: 99. Primary homonym of Pimpla abdominalis Gravenhorst, 1829. Type (? holotype): ? M, green round label, "Museum Paris Egypte Bove 1833". "abdominalis Br." (only parts of thorax and gaster preserved). Paris Museum, general collection under Tromatobia variabilis.

Identity: Tromatobia variabilis (Holmgren, 1856) (Shaumar 1966: 444).

Pimpla ephippium Brullé

Pimpla ephippium Brullé, 1846: 99. Type (? holotype): M, green round label, "Museum Paris Egypte Bove 1933", "ephippium Br." (only parts of head, thorax and gaster, one base of antenna, and the wings preserved). Paris Museum, general collection under Itoplectis.

Identity: Itoplectis melanocephala (Gravenhorst, 1829) (Perkins 1941: 646).

Euceros dimidiatus Brulle

Euceros dimidiatus Brulle, 1846: 117. Lectotype hereby designated: M, "M", Euceros dimidiatus Br." (head, front part of thorax, and hind part of gaster lacking). Turin Museum, Spinola Collection. The other syntypes mentioned in the original description could not be found.

Identity: Euceros albitarsis Curtis, 1837 (Giraud 1857: 166).

Metopius pinatorius Brullé

Metopius pinatorius (Bosc in lit.) Brullé, 1846: 120. Lectotype designated by Townes (1961: 171): M, "Museum Paris ex coll. Bosc", "I. pinatorius n. Bosc Carolina" (old label from Bosc collection). Paris Museum, general collection, Nearctic material under Metopius. Townes and Townes (1959: 99) supposed that the type came from Europe.

Identity: Metopius pinatorius Brulle, 1846 (Townes and Townes 1959: 99).

Odontomerus striatus Brulle

Odontomerus striatus Brullé, 1846: 123. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Museum Paris", "Odontomerus striatus Br." (most parts of one antenna, one front wing, and hind part of gaster lacking). Paris Museum, general collection under Ischnoceros rusticus.

Identity: Ischnoceros rusticus (Geoffroy in Fourcroy 1785). New synonym.

Ophion arcuatus Brullé

Ophion arcuatus Brullé, 1846: 146. Type (? holotype): "China", "Ophion arcuatus Br.". Paris Museum, Brulle Collection. Townes (1961: 172) supposed that the type came from France.

Identity: Enicospilus undulatus (Gravenhorst, 1829). (Townes 1961: 172). Cryptus bovei Brullé

Cryptus bovei Brullé, 1846: 199. Lectotype hereby designated: F, green round label, "Museum Paris Egypte Bove 1833" (one flagellum, some tarsi, and underside and hind part of gaster lacking). Paris Museum, found in the Brulle Collection, and transferred to the general collection under Cryptus.

Identity: Synechocryptus bovei (Brullé, 1846) (van Rossem 1969b: 371).

Ischnoceros maculipennis Brullé

Ischnoceros maculipennis Brullé, 1846: 261. Type(s) lost.

Identity: Chirotica decorator (Villers 1789) (Horstmann, in press). Secondary homonym of Hemiteles maculipennis Gravenhorst, 1829.

Ichneumon xanthomelas Brulle

Ichneumon xanthomelas Brullé, 1846: 309. Primary homonym of Ichneumon xanthomelas Gmelin, 1790. Type (? holotype): F, "Museum Paris Barbarie Guyon 253-39", blue round label, "Ichneumon xanthomelas Br.". Paris Museum, general collection under Stenophorus instructor.

Identity: Ctenochares bicolorus (Linnaeus, 1767) (Shaumar 1966: 449).

DUFOUR AND PERRIS

In a paper on the Hymenoptera living in dried bramble sticks, L. Dufour and E. Perris (1840) described six new species of French Ichneumonidae. The Dufour Collection is preserved in the Paris Museum, but some specimens from that collection had been transferred to the Giraud Collection and to the general

collection of Ichneumonidae of the Paris Museum, and some others had been acquired by Spinola and are now found in the Spinola Collection in the Turin Museum. The Perris Collection is preserved in the Zoological Insitute of the National High School of Agriculture in Montpellier. I did not see it, but Aeschlimann sent me material of some species. Usually both authors used labels only with catalogue numbers, and only labelled the first specimen of a series. Aeschlimann sent me a list of notes referring to those numbers from the catalogue of the Perris Collection, but I do not know the meaning of the numbers used by Dufour.

Ichneumon gyrator Dufour et Perris

Ichneumon gyrator Dufour et Perris, 1840: 40. Primary homonym of Ichneumon gyrator Thunberg, 1822. Lectotype labelled by Sawoniewicz and hereby designated: F, without original label. Turin Museum, Spinola Collection under the label "Cryptus gyrator Duf. F. - n. sp.? D. Dufour S. Sever.". Some other specimens, which may be syntypes, are in the Dufour Collection in Paris (3 M), and in the Perris Collection in Montpellier (1 M, 3 F).

Identity: Aritranis mediterraneus (Tschek, 1872). New synonym.

Ichneumon odoriferator Dufour et Perris

Ichneumon odoriferator Dufour et Perris, 1840: 44. Lectotype hereby designated: M, "1790. M", "Dufour collectio". Paris Museum, found in the Giraud collection, and transferred to the general collection under Hoplocrypus graefei.

Identity: Aritranis odoriferator (Dufour et Perris, 1840), syn. Hoplocryptus graefei Thomson, 1896. New synonym.

Ichneumon odynericidus Dufour et Perris

Ichneumon odynericidus Dufour et Perris, 1840: 45. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "5691", "Museum Paris France Dufour". Paris Museum, found in the Dufour Collection, and transferred to the general collection under Kaltenbachia bimaculata.

Identity: Xylophrurus augustus (Dalman, 1823) (Giraud 1866: 480, Thomson 1888: 1237, Schmiedeknecht 1890: 118).

Anomalon mandibulator Dufour et Perris

Anomalon mandibulator Dufour et Perris, 1840: 46. Types lost.

Identity: Isadelphus armatus (Gravenhorst, 1829). New synonym. Interpreted in accordance with Giraud (1866: 484).

Pimpla ephippiatoria Dufour et Perris

Pimpla ephippiatoria Dufour et Perris, 1840: 47. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "3266. F", "Museum Paris France Dufour". Paris Museum, found in the Dufour Collection, and transferred to the general collection under Perithous divinator.

Identity: Perithous divinator (Rossi, 1790) (Giraud 1866: 486).

Pimpla marginellatoria Dufour et Perris

Pimpla marginellatoria Dufour et Perris, 1840: 48. Types lost.

Identity: Perithous septemcinctorius (Thunberg 1822). New synonym. The male mentioned by Giraud (1866: 487) is still preserved in the Perris collection. It is not a syntype of Pimpla marginellatoria, and it belongs to the species Pseudopimpla pygidiator Seyrig, 1927.

BOYER DE FONSCOLOMBE

The following notes are a supplement to my revision of the species of Ichneumonidae described by Boyer de Fonscolombe (Horstmann 1980).

Ichneumon insidiator Boyer de Fonscolombe

Ichneumon insidiator Boyer de Fonscolombe, 1847 in 1847-1854: 66. Holotype: M, "28. I. insidiator nob." (blue label) (the head, and one hind wing lacking).

Identity: Spilothyrateles fabricii (Schrank, 1802). I had identified Ichneumon insidiator as Amblyteles truncicola Thomson, 1888 (Horstmann 1980: 131), but had overlooked, that the latter species is considered to be a synonym of Spilothyrateles fabricii.

Phygadeuon incertus Boyer de Fonscolombe

Phygadeuon incertus Boyer de Fonscolombe, 1851 in 1847-1854: 112. Holotype: M, "8. Ph. incertus nob." (Blue label), "Museum Paris 1867 Coll. O. Sichel". Paris Museum, found in the de Gaulle Collection, and transferred to the box with types of species described by Boyer de Fonscolombe in the general collection.

Identity: Phygadeuon incertus Boyer de Fonscolombe, 1851.

LUCAS

H. Lucas (1849) described 14 new species of Ichneumonidae, the types of which he had collected in Algeria. The material from Algeria is preserved in the Paris Museum as a separate Collection. Especially the Hymenoptera Parasitica of that collection are in a bad order, and partly destroyed by Dermestidae. Therefore, I transferred all types of Ichneumonidae to a special box in the general collection. The typical labels of the Lucas material are green round labels with numbers, rarely with locality names on the underside, and rectangular name labels. The meaning of those numbers is not known to me.

Pimpla nigrolineata Lucas

Pimpla? nigrolineata Lucas, 1849: 323. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "689.", "Pimpla? nigrolineata, Luc. F".

Identity: Odinophora nigrolineata (Lucas 1849), syn. Pimpla perezi Kriechbaumer, 1898. New synonym.

Glypta erythrogaster Lucas

Glypta erythrogaster Lucas, 1849: 324. Lectotype hereby designated: M, "689.", "Glypta erythrogaster, Luc. M". A female syntype is present, but partly destroyed.

Identity: Glypta cylindrator (Fabricius, 1787) (syn. Glypta bicornis Boie 1850). New synonym.

Lissonota flavipes Lucas

Lissonata flavipes Lucas, 1849: 325. Lectotype (? holotype) hereby designated: M, "Oran", "Lissonota flavipes, Luc. M".

Identity: Lissonota flavipes Lucas, 1849. I was not able to identify the type with a described species.

Bassus flavipes Lucas

Bassus flavipes Lucas, 1849: 325. Lectotype (? holotype) hereby designated: M, "949" (?), "Bassus flavipes, Luc.".

Identity: Sussaba flavipes flavipes (Lucas, 1849), syn. Sussaba coriacea neopulchella Diller, 1980 (syn. Bassus pulchellus pulchellus auct.). New synonym.

Anomalon affine Lucas

Anomalon affine Lucas, 1849: 327. Lectotype labelled by Schnee and hereby designated: M, "689", "Anomalon affine, Luc. M".

Identity: Barylypa delictor (Thunberg, 1822) (Schnee det.). New synonym.

Collyria erythrogaster Lucas

Collyria erythrogaster Lucas, 1849: 328. Lectotype (? holotype) hereby designated: M, "1291", "Collyria erythrogaster, Luc. M".

Identity: Phaenolobus fulvicornis (Gravenhorst, 1829) (Hinz det.). New synonym.

Collyria armata Lucas

Collyria armata Lucas, 1849: 328. Lectotype hereby designated: M, "689", "Collyria armata, Luc. ?M".

Identity: Pristomerus armatus (Lucas 1849), syn. Pristomerus orbitalis Holmgren, 1860. New synonym. Pristomerus gratiosus Tosquinet, 1896, also described from Algeria, is considered to be an African subspecies of Pristomerus orbitalis, differing in color from the European subspecies (Aubert 1968a: 142). The lectotype of Collyria armata, however, does not differ in color from European material of the species.

Cryptus Levaillantii Lucas

Cryptus Levaillantii Lucas, 1849: 329. Holotypes: F, "Oran", Cryptus Levaillantii, Luc.".

Identity: Synechocryptus levaillantii (Lucas, 1849) (van Rossem 1969b: 371).

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Cryptus bicolor Lucas

Cryptus bicolor Lucas, 1849: 330. Lectotype designated by van Rossem (1969b: 358): F, "1291.", "Cryptus bicolor, Luc.".

Identity: Trychosis legator (Thunberg, 1822) (van Rossem 1969b: 358).

Cryptus armatus Lucas

Cryptus armatus Lucas, 1849: 330. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "689", "Cryptus armatus, Luc. F".

Identity: Meringopus armatus (Lucas 1849). The species is similar to Meringopus turanus (Habermehl 1918) (see van Rossem 1969a: 179), but differs from the latter in the following characters: Body size 13-14 mm. Antennae with 41-42 segments, the 18th segment about 1,3 times as long as broad. Speculum punctate. Ovipositor sheaths a little shorter than the hind tibiae (Female of Meringopus turanus: Body size 15-16 mm. Antennae with 55 segments, the segments in the apical third more slender. Speculum polished, at least partly. Ovipositor sheaths a little longer than the hind tibiae).

Cryptus annulicornis Lucas

Cryptus annulicornis Lucas, 1849: 331. Lectotype designated by van Rossem (1969b: 370): F, "490.", "Cryptus annulicornis, Luc." (both tips of antennae, both front legs, one middle and one hind leg, and the greater part of the gaster lacking).

Identity: Nomen oblitum (van Rossem 1969b: 370).

Ichneumon rubrocinctus Lucas

Ichneumon rubrocinctus Lucas, 1849: 333. Holotype: F (!), "299.", "Ichneumon rubrocinctus, Luc. M (!).

Identity: Triptognathus rubrocinctus (Lucas, 1849), syn. Amblyteles impolitus Berthoumieu, 1894. New synonym.

Ichneumon flavomaculatus Lucas

Ichneumon flavomaculatus Lucas, 1849: 333. Holotype: M, "689.", "Ichneumon flavomaculatus, Luc. M".

Identity: Ichneumon (s. l.) flavomaculatus Lucas, 1849. I was not able to identify the type with a described species.

Mesoleptus flavovariegatus Lucas

Mesoleptus flavovariegatus Lucas, 1849: 334. Lectotype (? holotype) hereby designated: M, "689", "Mesoleptus flavovariegatus, Luc." (both antennae, both middle legs, and the greater part of the gaster lacking, the rest partly destroyed by Dermestidae).

Identity: Lissonota lineata (Gravenhorst 1829). New synonym.

GIRAUD

Giraud (1857-1872) described 19 new European species of Ichneumonidae. His collection is preserved in the Paris Museum, but some material had been transferred to the general collection of Ichneumonidae of that museum. The

types of some species should be in the Museum of Natural History in Vienna, but could not be found there (Fischer, in lit.). Some of those types, however, now are in the Paris Museum too. Perhaps Giraud took them with him, as he moved from Vienna to Paris. In many cases the material collected by Giraud is imperfectly labelled. He often used labels with only collecting dates or abbreviations of the locality or the host, and often labelled only the first specimen of a series.

Metopius nasutus Giraud

Metopius nasutus Giraud, 1857: 169. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Ullr." (? = Ullrich, name of a collector), "F", "Museum Paris 1877 Coll. Giraud". Paris Museum, general collection under Peltopius vespoides.

Identity: Metopius vespoides (Scopoli 1763) (Rogenhofer and Dalla Torre, 1882: 600).

Mesostenus nubeculator Giraud

Mesostenus nubeculator Giraud, 1857: 170. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "III fig. G" (referring to a figure in the original description), "Museum Paris 1877 Coll. Giraud". Paris Museum, general collection under Listrognathus pubescens.

Identity: Listrognathus pubescens (Boyer de Fonscolombe, 1850). New synonym.

Anomalon fasciatum Giraud

Anomalon fasciatum Giraud, 1857: 170. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Sicil.", "Museum Paris 1877 Coll. Giraud". Paris Museum, general collection under Gravenhorstia picta.

Identity: Gravenhorstia picta Boie, 1836 (Bridgman and Fitch, 1884: 228).

Pezomachus tricolor Giraud

Pezomachus tricolor Giraud, 1857: 171. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Prat. avr.". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 31.

Identity: Gelis cyanurus (Forster, 1850). New synonym.

Ichneumon amabilis Giraud

Ichneumon amabilis Giraud, 1863a: 20. Primary homonym of Ichneumon (Exephanes?) amabilis Kriechbaumer, 1895. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Susa", "Museum Paris 1877 Coll. Giraud". Paris Museum, general collection under Ichneumon lautatorius.

Identity: Ichneumon lautatorius Desvignes, 1856. New synonym.

Hemiteles Liparae Giraud

Hemiteles Liparae Giraud, 1863b: 1267. Holotype: M, "ex Lipara tomentosa 29 mars.", "Hemiteles Liparae Giraud". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 31.

Identity: Gelis liparae (Giraud, 1863).

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Pimpla cheloniae Giraud

Pimpla cheloniae Giraud, 1869: 149. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "cervini 20 mai", "de Chelonia cervini (Valais, Fallou)" (the latter label refers to nine syntypes). Paris Museum, general collection under Pimpla.

Identity: Pimpla cheloniae Giraud, 1869.

Ischnus tineidarum Giraud

Ischnus tineidarum Giraud, 1872a: 393. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Fallou", "Talaeporia Pseudobombycella St. Germain 29 Avril". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 26.

Identity: Rhexidermus tineidarum (Giraud, 1872).

Ischnus nigrinus Giraud

Ischnus nigrinus Giraud, 1872a: 395. Lectotype hereby designated: F, 'de Coleoph. Giraudi (Oisans)", "Ischnus nigrinus m.". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 26.

Identity: Rhexidermus nigrinus (Giraud, 1872).

Plectiscus tenthredinarum Giraud

Plectiscus tenthredinarum Giraud, 1872a: 396. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Vine 13 mai", "Plectiscus tenthredinarum m.". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 39.

Identity: Adelognathus tenthredinarum (Giraud 1872), syn. Adelognathus nigricornis Thomson, 1888 (following the interpretation of Perkins, 1943b, the types of Adelognathus nigricornis being lost) (Hinz vid.). New synonym. Roman (1918: 19) erroneously identified Adelognathus tenthredinarum as Adelognathus pusullus Holmgren, 1857.

Perilissus luteocephalus Giraud

Perilissus luteocephalus Giraud, 1872a: 397. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "in copula" (labels of the corresponding male: "Grenoble 23 avril in copula", "de Selandria micans K1.", "Perilissus luteocephalus Giraud"). Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 41.

Identity: Perilissus tripunctator (Thunberg, 1822) (syn. Perilissus longicornis Brischke, 1871). New synonym.

Tryphon lateralis Giraud

Tryphon lateralis Giraud, 1872a: 401. Primary homonym of Tryphon lateralis Gravenhorst, 1829. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Vine 19 mai". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 43.

Identity: Monoblastus caudatus Hartig, 1837. New synonym.

Trematopygus selandrivorus Giraud

Trematopygus selandrivorus Giraud, 1872a; 402. Lectotype labelled by Aubert and designated by Hinz (1975: 45): M, "17 avr.", "g. c." (?), "Trematopygus selandrivorus m.". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 43.

Identity: Glyptorhaestus selandrivorus (Giraud, 1872) (Hinz 1975: 45).

Trematopygus aprilinus Giraud

Trematopygus aprilinus Giraud, 1872a: 403. Lectotype labelled by Aubert and hereby designated: F, "De Selandr. melanoceph. 18 avr.", "Trematopygus aprilinus m.". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 43.

Identity: Trematopygodes aprilinus (Giraud, 1872) (Aubert 1968b: 69).

Polyblastus annulicornis Giraud

Polyblastus annulicornis Giraud, 1872a: 406. Holotype: F, "Prater 13 sept.", "Polyblastus annulicornis Giraud F.". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 43.

Identity: Ctenochira grossa (Brischke 1871) (Schmiedeknecht 1912 in 1911–1927: 2466). As the papers of Brischke and Giraud are dated both from 1871, it was necessary to look for further information about the dates of publication. The volume XI of the "Schriften der koniglichen physikalisch-okonomischen Gesellschaft Konigsberg", which contains Brischke's paper, arrived at Vienna during the week before January 4, 1872 (Sitzungsberichte der mathematisch-naturwissenschaftlichen Classe der Kaiserlichen Akademie der Wissenschaften, Wien, 65, Abt. I, 1872: 4). The third and fourth parts of the volume (V) I of the "Annales de la Societe entomogique de France", which contain Giraud's paper, came out on February 14, 1872, and on April 10, 1872, respectively, and arrived at Bruxelles in March and in May of that year (Annales de la Societe entomologique de Belgique, Comptes Rendus des Seances de la Societe entomologique de Belgique 15, 1872: LI and LXIX).

Echthrus populneus Giraud

Echthrus populneus Giraud, 1872a: 407. Holotype: F, "de Saperda populnea 23 avr.", "Echthrus populneus Giraud". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 51.

Identity: Schreineria annulata (Brischke, 1864). New synonym.

Diplomorphus thoracicus Giraud

Diplomorphus thoracicus Giraud, 1872a: 409. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Vallouise h.-alp.", "Diplomorphus thoracicus Giraud". Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 43.

Identity: Boethus thoracicus (Giraud, 1872) (Schmiedeknecht 1912 in 1911-1927: 2396).

Aglyphus nigripennis Giraud

Aglyphus nigripennis Giraud, 1872a: 4ll. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Bolo." (= Bologne), "Aglyphus bicolor Giraud." (!), "Diadochus n. gen. bicolor m. F." (!). Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 43.

Identity: Scolobates nigripennis Sichel, 1860 (de Gaulle, 1908: 60).

Pimpla gallicola Giraud

Pimpla gallicola Giraud, 1872b: 506. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Andr. gland. avr." (= Andricus glandulae Hartig, 1840). Paris Museum, Giraud Collection, box 48.

Identity: Scambus planatus (Hartig,1838). New synonym. Perkins (1943a: 267) and subsequent authors incorrectly synonymized Pimpla gallicola Giraud with Scambus vesicarius (Ratzeburg 1844). There is a female of the latter species in the Giraud collection, which had been bred from "Nematus gallarum" (= Pontania viminalis Linnaeus, 1858), but it cannot be considered as a syntype of the Giraud species, for only males are mentioned in the original description.

At the end of his life, Giraud gave a list of parasites and the corresponding hosts to A. Laboulbène for publication, for he himself was no longer able to make it ready for print. Laboubène (1877) added some footnotes with remarks on the biology of the host species, and published that list after Giraud's death. The list contains 33 names of ichneumonid species, which are attributed to Giraud as the author, but were not described by him. Three of those cases must be discussed below, for in the list some additional notes are given, which might be considered as indications in the sense of article 16 of the Rules of Nomenclature.

Amblyteles montivagus Giraud

Amblyteles montivagus Giraud in Laboulbene, 1877: 399. Following the text in the list ("Amblyteles montivagus Giraud, A. fossorius V. I. Grav."), Amblyteles montivagus Giraud is considered to be a new name for Amblyteles fossorius Var. I sensu Gravenhorst (1829: 165) (Article 16, a, i of the Rules). As the notes in the list are from Giraud, the name is attributed to him. The name is a primary homonym of Amblyteles montivagus Berthoumieu, 1896. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "f.". Museum of Natural History, Wroclaw, Gravenhorst collection under Ichneumon fossorius var. 1.

Identity: Ctenichneumon messorius (Gravenhorst, 1829) (Hinz vid.). New synonym.

Pezomachus glallarium Giraud

Pezomachus gallarum Giraud in Laboulbene, 1877: 402. As it is not possible to interpret unequivocally the text in the list ("Pezomachus gallarum Giraud (M Hemit. bicolor, var. 4)"), the name is considered to be a nomen nudum.

Pimpla gallarum Giraud

Pimpla gallarum Giraud in Laboulbene, 1877: 409. It is clear from the text in the list ("Pimpla gallarum Giraud, stercorator var. Grav.") and from the published host species, that the name is a lapsus for Pimpla gallicola Giraud, 1872.

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Ichneumon valaisianus Giraud in Laboulbène, 1877: 399
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Trogus Bellieri Giraud in Laboulbène, 1877: 399
Phaeogenes ruficornis Giraud in Laboulbène, 1877: 400
Cryptus leucostilus Giraud in Laboulbène, 1877: 400
Cryptus zygaenae Giraud in Laboulbène, 1877: 401

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LABOULBENE

A. Laboulbène (1858) described one new species of French Ichneumonidae, which was bred from a spider. The types were found in the Fairmaire collection in the Paris Museum.

Pimpla Fairmairii Laboulbène

Pimpla Fairmairii Laboulbene, 1858: 814. Lectotype hereby designated: F, "Pimpla Fairmairii A. S. E. Fr." (= Ann. Soc. Ent. France) (partly destroyed by Dermestidae, one front and one hind wing lacking). Paris Museum, found in the Fairmaire Collection, and transferred to the general collection under Zaglyptus multicolor.

Identity: Zaglyptus multicolor (Gravenhorst, 1829) (Morley 1908: 124).

SICHEL

J. Sichel (1860) described one new species of Ichneumonidae from Sicily. The type is preserved in his collection in the Paris Museum.

Scolobates nigripennis Sichel

Scolobates nigripennis Sichel, 1860: 758. Holotype: F (!), "Sic 59" (= Sicile), "Scolobates nigripenis ... n. s." (!, partly illegible). Paris Museum, Sichel Collection.

Identity: Scolobates nigripennis Sichel, 1860 (de Gaulle 1908: 60).

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